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In response to the Office Action mailed on June 28, 2002, Applicants submit this Response.

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

REMARKS

Claims 1-3 and 10-19 are pending. Claims 4-9 have been withdrawn from consideration. Claims 1-3 and 10-19 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. 251 as being an improper recapture of broadened claimed subject matter surrendered in the application for the patent upon which the present reissue is based.¹ This rejection is traversed. For the reasons set forth below, it is

The final rejection dated June 28, 2002 alleges that claims "1-4 and 10-19 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §251 as being improper recapture of broaden claimed subject matter surrendered in the application for the patent upon which the present reissue is based". However,